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FOREWORD

In this, our sixth edition of the *Growler*, we of the annual staff wish to thank our many friends for the invaluable aid they have rendered to us. We sincerely hope that this will become a book dear to everyone, and that in its pages you will find a chest full of joys. In looking back, may it serve as a link to your high school days.



JEAN GILLIAM
Business Manager
BETTY JEAN HARTSELL
Editor-in-Chief
Miss Laura E. Neece
Adviser

DEDICATION



When we consider all that one man's done To make our school the best that can be found, Unselfishly has fame and honor won For students, teachers, parents here around, Who through his zest for living goodly life Inspires us all to hobbies, happy hours, Gives inspiration, comfort in our strife, And makes us long to bring out hidden powers— We realize more we owe than we can pay. We bring our gratitude and thankful hearts, And in our humble, small, but deep-felt way Present a token which we hope imparts A portion of our gratitude. In brief, We dedicate the Growler to our Chief—

MR. GEORGE H. ARNOLD



J. M. Hauss

For more than thirty years Mr. J. N. Hauss led in developing the Thomasville schools from a single frame building, housing a seven grade school, to a modern and efficient system of grammar and high schools. Some of those who knew him during those years may feel that a building other than a gymnasium might more appropriately have been named for him. It is true that he never particularly emphasized athletics or physical education, but on second thought one must realize that any building that contributes to the development in any way of the youth of Thomasville may happily bear Mr. Hauss' name. He has always been interested in the education of the whole individual and never over-emphasized any particular field.

Let us hope that the Hauss Gymnasium may long serve to promote the welfare of generations of Thomasville students. But Mr. Hauss is far more enduringly memorialized in the lives of hundreds of men and women in this town and elsewhere to whom he taught by precept, and especially by example, those qualities of character that a good athletic program promotes: integrity, sportsmanship, consideration of others, clean living, and self-control.

Long ago, when Mr. Hauss used to teach ninth grade English, he asked his students to memorize lines from Shakespeare that might well apply to him,

"His life was gentle, and the elements so mixed in him that nature might stand up and say to all the world "This was a man!" "





Mr. G. H. Arnold Superintendent



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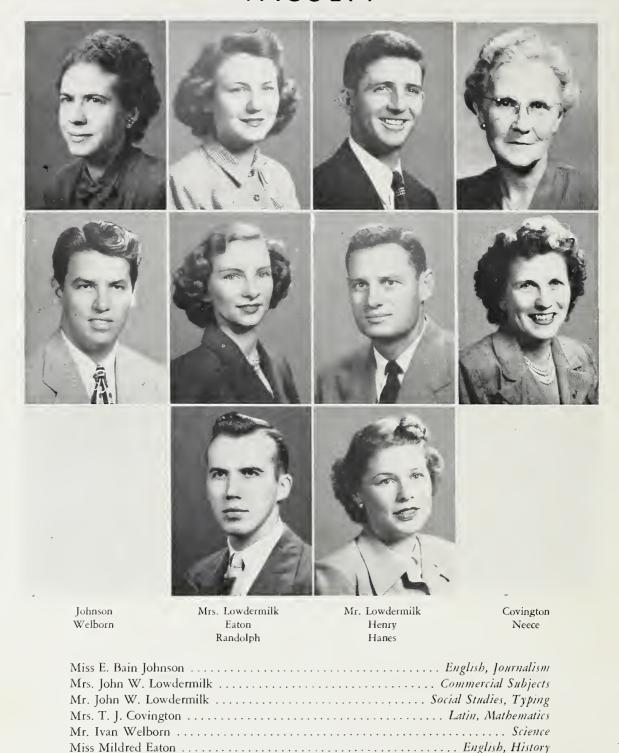


Standing, left to right: Mr. Harry Curlee, Dr. O. R. Hodgin, Mr. G. H. Arnold • Seated: Mr. J. D. Fraley, Dr. R. L. McDonald, Mr. Russell Van Landingham.

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Standing: Bill Hethcock, President; Julius Green, Vice-President.

ADVISERS



Miss E. Bain Johnson



Mrs. T. J. Covington



Mr. John W. Lowdermilk



MASCOTS

Left to right: Sandra Cranford and Mickey Cox.

Barbara Atwood

"Batwood's" good At this sport; She's a star On the basketball court.

Maxine Beck

You'll always find her Merry and gay. She'll make you laugh With the things she'll say.

Wanda Beck

"Tootie's" a beauty And nice as can be. An all-'round gal You'll find her to be.

Sarah Jane Black

Our wittiest girl Keeps us in stiches, She tells a joke And we laugh like witches.

Evelyn Branch

To be a secretary Is her desire, Of being nice She does not tire.

















Dave Ballard

A witty feller, As you all know, is Dave, Just give him a lead And he'll make you rave.

Nancy Beck

A real swell gal Is Nancy Beck. We think of her A lot, by heck.



"Ely's" a whiz in Chemistry. And he really gets around Especially with the gals Down in Johnsontown.

Jackie Boswell

Jackie's a girl
W'ho loves to skate.
She's really one person
W'ho is hard to hate.

Eddie Branson

Here is a boy W'hom an office has got. It and Jeanette Keep him ha'f shot!

Janie Brinkley

One good sport Is "Little Brink"; Our best dancer We all think.



She appears to be The quiet kind. And if you tell her so She really won't mind.

Robert Cagle

Jane is Bud's gal And always will be. If it's all right with him, It's all right with mc.

Peggy Coggins

A good cheerleader This femme is. At doing the yells She's really a whiz.

Ann Davis

By right her voice May always be The way she'll make Her mon-ey.



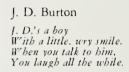








Alice Bryant Alice's hair is Lovely and black. Her air is pleasant; She's sweet, in fact.



Mildred Coggins

"Cotton's" a gal W'bo really is hep. She's a feminine cage-star, And has plenty pep.



This here gal is Really a cutie. "Nan" makes many puns And never is snooty.



"Stinky's" his name. It he doesn't deserve 'Cause he doesn't appeal To the smelling nerve.

Iadie Lee Durham

"Jake" has interests In lots of things. He has a good time And seldom complains.

Jeanette Elliott

This tall blonde Is usually seen with Eddie. To do you a favor She's always ready.

Elizabeth Gordy

"Lib's" a gal with Eyes and coiffure; So all the men She knows how to lure.

Peggy Gray

Now here is a girl Who studies francais. She'll he a success In the world someday.

Julius Green

This "hubba-hubba" is the Strong, silent type, But when "Grass" jests You'll laugh all right!













Mary Elgin

Her name is Elgin So she keeps up with the times. And I can't think Of anything clse that rhymes.

Jean Gilliam

"Stel" is "B. M."
Of our yearbook.
She plays basketball
And is a good cook.

Nancy Gray

Her knowledge is broad;
"Steamboat" likes her books,
too.
She seldom makes errors
W'bich she must rue.

Eva Mae Green

Her name is Green, But that's not so 'Cause all her hair Is black, you know.

Doris Harris

Doris is one of Those office girls. When she's on duty The work really whirls.

Betty Jean Hartsell

Here is a gal Who really is sweet. She has helped make Our GROW LER so next.



Ruby Hauser

Our most intellectual Girl she is. She's a likeable gal And minds her own biz.



Il aime le français Et l'anglais aussi. Mais l'histoire, il dit—
"Qu'est-ce que c'est que ceci?"



John Hiatt

John is short And he's a blonde. Of this friend We're very fond.

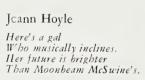


Robert has caught The camera bug. He'll take a picture Of any ol' mug.



Don Holland

He's a good dancer And a member of the band. At the art of cheering He's an old hand.





Charles Huffman

Playing football or basketball— At either he's at ease. He's easy to get along with, And not hard to please.



Betty Jones

"Jonsey" knows what to say On every occasion. She possesses a power Of convincing persuasion.





You may not know Because, you see, He takes D. O.

Carl Hunt

Here's a boy

Paul Ed Jones

He's our best looking boy; He's the keeper of the store; He's good at basketball— W'bo could ask for any more?



Bill Kanoy

If in a theatre It's Bill you meet, Ask him politely And he'll show you a seat.

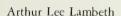


At dancing he's tops, 'Never gets his fill; A good all round guy, That's "Big Bad Bill."



Margaret Kinney

Our cheerleaders are Always of great fame. Of this girl We have no shame.



Really good-natured Is our pal "Ott." It's that "Church Street spirit" That he's always got.



Anabel Lammonds

This friend of ours May have little to say. But we're all proud Of her anyway.



Sara Leek

This pretty blonde Has a Southern drawl; When you meet Saree She'll say, "Hi, y'all!"



She's fond of math For her life is sunny, She capably handles The GROW LER'S money.

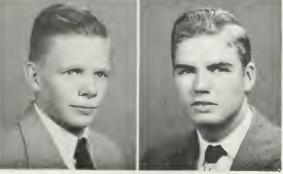


Bobby Gene Loftin

"Laud's" good natured And lots of fun. He's Sheriff's chief deputy— Old "One-Gun."

Bobby Loftin

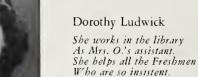
Now here is a boy Who plays in the band. If you're ever in need, He'll give you a hand.



Howard Lookabil

This here boy Has plenty of muscles. He appears to be slow, But sometimes he hustles.





Charles Lyndon

He's the most quiet Of all the boys. But it's the empty wagon That makes the most noise.





Leon Lyndon

Hunting is the hobby

Of this up-and-coming lad.

He wants to be a farmer;

His future is not sad.

Ruth McCarson

This our friend Is not a sack, She goes around With dear old Mack.



Jackie McCulloch
This here cage star
Has a sense of humour.
In his head there's
No room for roumer.

Mack McCullock

Here is a boy who would Be in a mess Should he wake up one day And find himself "Ruth" less.





Betty McSwain

A very cute girl

Is Betty Mac.

She's on the ball

And sharp as a tack.

Bobby May

Miss J's room pres Drives' round in a jeep. When others complain He makes nary a peep.





Doris Maney

"Doris" a gal Who is fond of dogs. Her thinking is clear; She's never in fogs.

Betty Carol Myers

Here's a friend W'hom we like, you see. She likes to skate Out at Uni-ty.

Pauline Nelson

A wise old gal Is our friend Polly, She never frowns And is always jolly.

Bobby Radford

This is a boy Who's nickname's Tony. If he has any curls Then they're not a phony.

Franklin Rutledge

Franklin's our friend W'hom we call "Flattop." He puts books on his head. And they never drop.

Dale Sechriest

Dale is showman Of his typing class. His lovely songs Will charm any lass.













Robert Myers

From out of the past His nickname arose. "Rabbit" they call him; though He can't wiggle his nose.

Helen Payne

Helen's the one who's Our class secretary. She's cute and quiet But always merry.

Fermon Ragan

The art of painting
Is foremost in his mind.
He'll go out with a paint
brush
And leave his lessons behind.

William Saunders

Bill is a vet
Whom we all admire.
He is a good worker
Whom no one will fire.

Merle Dean Sherrill

"Murl Shurl's" the one Who is our class poet. She is really quite smart, And we all know it.

Joyce Sloop

This lovely lass is Miss Thomasville High School. A fact quite evident To any old fool.

Peggy Smith

Another gal on The debating team. The affirmative holds her In high esteem.

Lena Pearl Stout

You lift your receiver, The operator says, "Hello." It may be Lena Pearl; She works there, you know.

Jean Carol Sullivan

Jean's willing to help In her good-natured way. Dependable always With not much to say.

Betty Ann Surratt

She never has reason To apologize. To have this quality She must be wise.



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Betty Smith

This cute girl Knows how to debate. A point for the negative She hurries to relate.

Ann Snyder

Ann is always Seen with Lena Pearl. She in truth Is a very fine girl.

Charlotte Sullivan

Not too serious, Not too gay; But she's a jolly good gal In most every way.

Louise Sullivan

Historian of our class Is this girl Louise. We're all crazy'bout her And that's no wheeze.

Donald Surratt

"Sarky's" a boy W'ho has "filles" in a whirl, But he especially attracts One special girl.

Jane Tysinger

Here's a blonde W'ho's certainly no dud. W'e think she's swell And so does Bud.

J. B. Walser

Known to all his friends As "Jo Bo." You'll find him anytime At Stinson's Texaco.

Jim Ward

Here is a boy W'ho's well-dressed and handsome, All the girls want To hold him for ransom.

Gene Wells

His teammates voted him "Best All-Round," But when you mention it, He makes nary a sound.

Bobby Wilder

Bobby's a boy Who has curly hair, A pleasing smile, And a pleasant air.

















Johnny Wallace

Here's a swell guy W'hom you really should know. If you meet him downtown, He'll yell out, "Hello!"

Bob Ward

"Sheriff" plays sports; He's the real McCoy. In his oun words, "Knock it off, boy."

Jimmie Warren

He likes his English; They call him "Moe." He didn't want to study So he took D. O.

Ann Wilder

Pretty and clever And very neat; To be her friend Is a special treat

Raymond Williams

Raymond, we think, Is a pretty nice guy. He makes all the girls Heave a big sigh.

Betty Wilson

This bashful gal, As we have said, Has lovely locks Upon her head.

Homer Wilson

He'll help you out There and back. He brings honor To Red and Black.

Donald Yates

A quiet boy
With a pleasant smile;
His temper is calm,
And his friendship's
worthwhile.









Bobby Wilson

Handsome, original, And a very nice lad. Friends galore He has always had.

Bobby Workman

"Workee's" a boy Who's very polite. His winning smile Is always in sight.

Pat Younts

Here's a gal Who's really fast. It took but three years To get her past.

FAREWELL TO YOU

To you, dear teachers and friends, We pause and bid farewell. We're reluctant to say good-bye so soon— But with your help we cannot fail.

To our teachers we wish to leave Our thanks and appreciation. Thanks for lending a helping hand When we needed your cooperation. To our dear friends we leave Fond memories of days gone by. And as we are reminiscing, We think back with a wistful sigh.

May the strains of our *Alma Mater* Blend a farewell song in our heart. For this song we will always remember And cherish as we depart.

So in this year of 1950, We Seniors bid you farewell. "Great heights are attained by small deeds" May this our motto ever before you dwell.

Barbara Atwood

Monogram Club 3, 4; National Honor Society 4; Future Homemakers of America 2, President 3, Vice-President 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; First Aid and Safety Club, Vice-President 4; Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Homeroom Vice-President 4; Most Athletic Senior Girl 4.

Dave Ballard

Football 4; Student Council, Chairman of Inside Traffic Committee 4; Audio-Visual Aid Club 1, 2; Homeroom President 2; Bible Club 4.

Maxine Beck

Girl Reserves 1; Library Club 1; Glee Club 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 3; Dramatics Club 3, 4; Bible Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; International Relations Club 3.

Nancy Beck

Glee Club 1; Y-Teens 1; Dramatics Club, Vice-President 2; Chairman of Homeroom Bulletin Board Committee 4; Bible Club, Secretary 2.

Wanda Beck

Dramatics Club 2, 4, Vice-President 1; Y-Teens, President 2; Miss Thomasville High School 2; Treasurer of Homeroom 2; Secretary of Homeroom 3; Future Teachers of America, President 4; Homecoming Queen 4.

Sarah Jane Black

Dramatics Club, Secretary and Treasurer 1: Y-Teens. Secretary and Treasurer 1, Program Chairman 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Treasurer of Class 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Sanitation Committee 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Future Teachers of America 4; Homeroom President 4.

Jackie Boswell

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America, Song Leader 2, Polemantarian 3.

Evelyn Branch

Future Homemakers of America, Vice-President 4; Mills Home; Softball 2; Speed Ball 2; Travelers Club 1.

Eddie Branson

Student Council 1, Sergeant-at-Arms 2, Vice-President 3, President 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; President of Homeroom 1; Football 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4.

Jane Brinkley

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, Chief 4; Future Homemakers of America 2; Future Teachers of America 4; Dramatics Club 4; Student Council 4; Attendance Committee 2.

Alice Bryant

Glee Club 1; Y-Teens 2: Tri-Hi-Y 3; Office Techniques Club 4; Safety and First Aid Club 4.

Carmelita Burleson

Bible Club 4; Mills Home: Basketball 2, 4; Future Home-makers of America 1, 2; Travelers Club 1; Softball 2; Glee Club 1, 2; Speed Ball 2.

J. D. Burton

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; International Relations Club 3; D. O. Club 4.

Robert Cagle

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Homeroom Vice-President 1; Bible Club 3; Class Vice-President 3; Hi-Y 3; D, O, Club 4.

Mildred Coggins

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4, Secretary 3; Audio-Visual Education Club 2, 3; Y-Teens 2; Future Teachers of America, Treasurer 4; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3; Secretarial Techniques Club 3.

Peggy Coggins

Future Homemakers of America 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 4; Homeroom Vice-President 1; Class Secretary 1; School Beautiful Committee 1; Auditorium Committee 2; Bible Club 1; Tri-Hi-Y, President 4; Cheerleader 4.

Nancy Cranford

Student Council, Chairman of Program Committee 3, Co-Chairman of Attendance Committee 4; Glee Club 1, 2, Secretary 2; Facts and Fun Staff 2, 3, 4; Growler Staff 4; Class Treasurer 3; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Homeroom Secretary 4; Audio-Visual Education Club 2.

Ann Davis

Majorette 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Club 1; Basketball 1; Facts and Fun Staff 2; Mixed Quartet 1, 3; Girls Trio 2; Bible Club 3.

Jadie Lee Durham

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Bible Club, Vice-President 3; D. O. Club, Vice-President 4.

Mary Elgin

Bible Club 3; Mills Home: Travelers Club 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2; Glee Club 3, 4.

Jeanette Elliott

Future Homemakers of America 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Basketball 2, 3; Student Council, Chairman of Sanitation Committee 3, Chairman of Office Committee 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; Library Club 4.

Jean Gilliam

Student Council 4, Treasurer 3; School Beautiful Committee 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, President 4; Dramatics Club 2; Business Manager of *Growler* 4; Facts and Fun Staff 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, Captain 4; Grils' Trio 3, 4; Girls' State 3; Band 1, 4; Quill and Scroll 4; October B, P, W, Girl 4.

Elizabeth Ann Gordy

Homeroom President 3; Tri-Hi-Y Treasurer 3; Dramatics Club 4; Mills Home: Band 1, 2, 3; Basketball 2, 4; Future Homemakers of America, Secretary 2; Travelers Club, Secretary 1; Class President 2; Softball 2; Glee Club 1; Speed Ball 2.

Nancy Gray

Facts and Fun Staff 1, 3, Exchange Editor 2; Student Council 4, Reporter 1, Chairman of Inside Publicity Committee 2, Secretary 3; Chief Marshal 4; Dramatics Club 2, Program Chairman 1; Glee Club 2; Tri-Hi-Y, Reporter 3; Quill and Scroll 3, President 1; Masque and Gavel 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, President 4; Homeroom Treasurer 3; Chairman of Class Ring Committee 3; Co-Chairman of Junior-Senior Prom Program Committee 3; Girls State 3; Winner of Journalism Trophy 3; September B, P. W. Girl 4; Good Citizen 4.

Peggy Gray

Dramatics Club, Treasurer 4; Mills Home: Basketball 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Travelers Club 1; English Club 2; Future Homemakers of America 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 2; Softball 1, 2; Speed Ball 2.

Eva Mae Green

Dramatics Club 1, 2, 4; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 3; Library Club 1, 2,

Julius Green

Hi-Y 1, 3, 4; Dramatics Club, President 1; Student Council 4. Co-Chairman of Recreation Committee 1, Chairman of Elections Committee 2, Chairman of Inside Traffic Committee 3; Homeroom President 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Facts and Fun 1, Assistant Business Manager 2, Business Manager 4; Monogram Club 4, President 3; National Honor Society 3, Vice-President 4; Masque and Gavel 3, President 4; Class Vice-President 4; Marshal 4.

Betty Jean Hartsell

Secretarial Techniques Club 4; Student Council 4; Quill and Scroll 4; National Honor Society 4; Marshal 4; Bible Club, President 4; Editor of Growler 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatics Club 2; Facts and Fun Staff 2, 3,

Doris Ann Harris

Girls Reserve 1; Y-Teens 2; Dramatics 1, 2, 4; Office Techniques Club 3, Secretary 4.

Ruby Hauser

Class Treasurer 4; Student Council, Chairman of Program Committee 4; Secretarial Techniques Club, Treasurer 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, Treasurer 4; Mills Home: Travelers Club 1; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, Historian 1.

Bill Hethcock

Dramatics Club 1, 2; Facts and Fun Staff 1, 2, Business Manager 3; Growler Staff 2, 3; Cheerleader 2, Chicf 3; Student Council 3, 4, Sergeant-at-Arms 1, Co-Chairman World War II Honor Roll Committee 2; Glec Club 3; Mixed Quartet 4; Radio News Reporter 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4; Masque and Gavel 3, 4; Debating 2, 3, 4; Marshal 4; Class President 4; National Honor Society 4; Future Teachers of America 4; Boys' State 3; Junior Rotarian 4; WBIG Safety Forum 4.

John Hiatt

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Bible Club 3; Homeroom President 2, 3; International Relations Club 3; Student Council, Co-Chairman of Inter-Scholastic and Public Relations Committee 4.

Don Holland

Tennis 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, Project Chairman 4; Dramatics Club 2; International Relations Club 3; Monogram Club 4; Facts and Fun Staff 3; Cheerleader 3, 4.

Elizabeth Joann Hoyle

Debating Club 4; Glee Club 4; Band, Drum Major 4; Facts and Fun Staff 4.

Charles Huffman

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Temis 3, 4; Audio-Visual Education Club 1; Hi-Y 1, 2; Monogram Club 3, 4; Vice-President of Homeroom 4; Dramatics Club President 4.

Betty Jones

Glee Club 1, 2; Facts and Fun Staff 1, Associate Editor 2, Editor 3; Student Council 3, Co-Chairman of World War 11 Service Honor Roll Committee 2, Treasurer 4; Dramatics Club 2, 4; Inside Publicity Committee 2; Winner of Journalism Trophy 2; Tri-Hi-Y. President 3; Quill and Scroll 3, Secretary 4; Masque and Gavel 3, 4; Basketball, Manager 3; National Honor Society 4; Future Teachers of America 4.

Paul Ed Jones

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Store 3, Manager 4; Audia-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Class President 1; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4.

Bill Kanoy

Bible Club 3; D. O. Club 4.

Bill Kindley

Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Tennis 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 2, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3; Monogram Club 4,

Margaret Kinney

Y-Teens 1; Dramatics Club 1, 4, Secretary 2; Cheerleader 3, 4; Monogram Club 4.

Lena Laws

Dramatics Club 1; Band 1; Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Y-Teens 2; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Homeroom Secretary 4; Growler Staff, Secretary and Treasurer 4; First Aid and Safety Club 4; Manager of Girls Baskethall Team

Arthur Lambeth

Andio-Visual Education Club, Vice-President 1; Football 2, 3, 4.

Sara Leek

Glee Club 1, 2, Secretary 3, Vice-President 4; Student Council, Co Chairman Attendabee Committee 2, Co-Chairman Inter-Scholastic and Public Relations Committee 3, 4; Class Secretary and Treasurer 1; Homeroom Secretary and Treasurer 1; Homeroom Secretary and Treasurer 1; Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Growler Staff 3, Activities Editor 4; Facts and Fun Staff 4; Masque and Gavel 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, Secretary 4; Marshal 4; Co-Chairman of Junior-Senior Prom Program Committee 3; Red Cross Committee 2; Homeroom Chaplain 4.

Bobby Gene Loftin

Ili-Y 1; Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Library Club 3,

Bobby Loftin

Hi-Y 1, 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Recreational Reading Club, President 4.

Howard Lookabill

Homeroom President 1; Class President 2; Hi-Y 1; Andio-Visual Education Club 2, 4; Reading Club 4; Dramatics Club 1; Football 4.

Dorothy Ludwick

Tri-Hi-Y, Program Chairman 3; Library Chib, Vice-President 4; Thursday Reading Club, Program Chairman 4; Student Council, Chairman of Library Committee 4; Mills Home; Future Homemakers of America 1, Vice-President 2; Travelers Club 1; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Band, Flag Bearer 3.

Charles Lyndon

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Homeroom Vice-President 1, 2, 3; Homeroom Treasurer 4; Football 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; First Aid and Safety Club 4.

Leon Lyndon

Dramatics Club 1: Hi-Y 1: Audio-Visual Education 2, 3; Hobby Club, Vice-President 4.

Doris Maney

Secretarial Techniques Club 3: Dramatics Club 4; Mills Home: Travelers Club 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Future Homemakers of America 1, Choirster 2; Softball 1, 2; Glee Club 1, Trio 3, 4, Quartet 4,

Bob May

Football 2. 3, 4; Hi-Y 1; Dramatics Club 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Homeroom President 4; Class Sergeant-at-Arms 2.

Ruth McCarson

Future Homemakers of America, Song Leader 3, President 4; Monogram Club 3; Mills Home: Monogram Club, Secretary 2; Future Homemakers of America 1; Band 1, 2, Flag Bearer 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Travelers Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2.

Jackie McCullock

Dramatics Club 1; Audio-Visual Education Club 4, Treasurer 2; International Relations Club 3; Football 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 4; Bible Club 3.

Mack McCullock

D. O. Club 4; Mills Home: Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3.

Betty McSwain

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Student Council, Chairman of Points System Committee 4; Quill and Scroll, Treasurer 3, 4; Growler Staff 4, Art Editor 3; Facts and Fun Staff 2, 3; Dramatics Club 2; Office Committee 4; Tri-Hi-Y 4; Homeroom Secretary 3.

Betty Carol Myers

Dramatics Club 1; Future Homemakers of America, Vice-President 2, Treasurer 3; Y-Teens 2.

Robert Myers

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Monogram Club 2, 3, 4; International Relations Club 3; Baseball, Manager 1; Football, Manager 2; Inside Patrol 1, 2, 3; D. O. Club 4.

Pauline Nelson

Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Band 3; Mills Home: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 2; Speed Ball 2; Travelers Club, Secretary 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America 1, Vice-President 2.

Helen Payne

Bible Club 3; Class Secretary 4; Secretarial Techniques Club, Vice-President 4; Health Room Committee 3; National Honor Society 4; B. P. W. Girl 4; Office Committee 4; Mills Home: Basketball, Manager 2, 3; Softball, Manager 2; Future Homemakers of America 1, 3, President 2.

Bobby Radford

Mills Home: Football 2, 3, Alternate Captain 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 3, 4; Future Farmers of America 1, 2.

Fermon Ragan, Jr.

Hi-Y 1, 3, 4, Vice-President 2; Tennis 4; Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Arts and Crafts Club, Vice-President 3; Chairman of Magazine Committee 3; Student Council 2, Chairman of Elections Committee 4; Homeroom President 2.

Franklin Rutledge

Hi-Y 1; Dramatics Club 2; International Relations Club 3; D. O. Club 4.

Dale Sechriest

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 1; Arts and Crafts Club, Vice-President 4.

Merle Dean Sherrill

Dramatics Club 2, 3, Secretary 1; Future Homemakers of America 3, 4, Secretary 2; Library Club 1, 3; Bible Club 4; Class Poet 4; Library Committee 4.

Joyce Sloop

Monogram Club 2, 4, Treasurer 3; Y-Teens 1, 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Captain 3; Office Club 3; Band, Flag Bearer 2, 3; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3; Future Teachers of America, Secretary 4; Homeroom Secretary 1; D. O. Club, Secretary 4.

Betty Smith

Library Club 1, 2; Dramatics Club 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; International Relations Club 3; Marshal 4; National Honor Society 4; Monogram Club 4; Debating Club 4.

Peggy Smith

Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2; Dramatics Club 1, Secretary 2; Class Secretary 3; Auditorium Committee 3; International Relations Club 3; Dehating Club 3, 4.

Ann Snyder

Y-Teens 1; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1; Future Homemakers of America 1, 2.

Lena Stout

Dramatics Club 1; Glee Club 2, 3; D. O. Club 1.

Charlotte Sullivan

Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, 4; Library Club 2; Dramatics Club 2, 3; Bible Club 4.

Jean Carroll Sullivan

Dramatics 2, 4; Bible Club 4; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, Treasurer 4; Library Club 2.

Louise Sullivan

Dramatics Club 1, President 2; Future Homemakers of America 2, 3, 4; Homeroom Treasurer 3; Bible Club 3; Marshal 4; Class Historian 4; Homeroom Secretary 4; Student Council, Chairman of Clubs Committee 4; National Honor Society 4.

Betty Surratt

Future Homemakers of America 2; D. O. Club 4.

Donald Surratt

Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Hi-Y 1; Monogram Club 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball -1; Homeroom President 1, 4; Student Council 1; Homeroom Vice-President 2.

Jane Tysinger

Glee Club 2, 1; Future Homemakers of America, Historian 3.

Johnny Wallace

Football 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; Hi-Y 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 3; Monogram Club 3, 1.

Bobby Ward

Hi-Y 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 1; Baseball 2, 4.

Jim Ward

Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, Vice-President 4; Arts and Crafts Club, President 3; Audio-Visual Education Club 1, 2; Growler Staff 4; Student Council, Co-Chairman Outside Publicity Committee 3, Co-Chairman Health Room Committee 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 1.

James Warren

International Relations Club 3; D. O. Club 4; Bible Club 4.

Eugene Wells

Football 3, 4; Boys' First Aid and Safety Club 4.

Ann Wilder

Dramatics Club 1; Bible Club 3.

Bobby Wilder

 $\mbox{Hi-Y}\ 1\,;$ Bible Club 3; International Relations 3; D. O. Club 4.

Raymond Williams

Hi-Y 1, 2; Audio-Visual Education Club 1; Bible Club 3; International Relations Club 3; D. O. Club 4.

Betty Wilson

Dramatics Club 1; Future Homemakers of America 2, Reporter 3; Homeroom Treasurer 2, 4; Homeroom Secretary 3.

Homer Wilson

Future Farmers of America 1, 2.

Robert Wilson

Hi-Y 1, 2; International Relations Club 3.

Bobby Workman

Audio-Visual Education Club 2; Hi-Y 2, Freasurer 4; International Relations Club 3; Inside Patrol 3; Ontside Patrol 1; Homeroom President 3; Homeroom Vice-President 4; Football 4; Baseball 4; Basketball 4.

Frances Younts

Glee Club 1, 2, 1; Dramatics Club, Vice-President 1; Basketball 1, 1; Cheerleader 2; Future Homemakers of America 1; Flag Bearer 4.



- 1. Julius Green and Joyce Sloop
 Best Sports

 2. Betty Jones and Julius Green
 Best All-Round

 3. Wanda Beck and Paul Ed Jones
 Best Looking
- 4. Nancy Cranford and Jim Ward Best Dressed
 5. Jean Gilliam and Bill Hethcock Most Original
 6. Nancy Gray and Julius Green Most Likely To Succeed



SUPERLATIVES

- 6. Barbara Atwood and Charles Huffman Most Athletic

CLASS HISTORY

Although a few of us had had a taste of high school in the eighth grade, for most of us changing classes was a new and exciting experience. As our president for this year we elected Julius Green.

Becoming sophomores at last we now felt very important. Our activities this year included a very successful class party. Howard Lookabill was chosen as our president.

Our junior year was a very busy and enjoyable one. We now began to take a decided part in the activities of our school. This year we were joined by the juniors from Mills Home, who have added a great deal to our class. Paul Smith, Robert Cagle, Peggy Smith, and Nancy Cranford were chosen as our officers.

A few of the high spots this year were receiving our class rings, the Junior Magazine Drive, and the Junior-Senior Prom. We are very proud of the fact that we were the first class to give a prom instead of the traditional banquet. The Dutch theme carried out helped in making the evening a great success.

Wanda Beck, who received the honor of being crowned "Miss Thomasville High School," was the pride of our class.

We entered our last year enthusiastically but with a slight feeling of regret. Bill Hethcock was elected as our supreme officer. Other officers were Julius Green, Vice-President; Helen Payne, Secretary; and Ruby Hauser, Treasurer. One of the most exciting events of this year was winning a football game with Lexington. This had not been done since 1942.

Our time was taken up with elections, Senior Week, the Junior-Senior Prom, the Senior Play, and finally, Commencement.

We sincerely believe that our class is the best yet to graduate from Thomasville High School, and we extend to the future seniors a challenge to make our alma mater an even greater school.

To the faculty we express our deepest appreciation for their worthy efforts, many of which, we realize, were above and beyond their duty. We truly think our faculty is the best to be found anywhere.

With our high school career coming to an end, we now look to the future with high hopes. May we all achieve the highest success in anything we undertake.



Louise Sullivan

Class Historian

CLASS PROPHECY OF 1950

Thomasville North Carolina November 30, 1949

Dear Tootie,

How are you liking New York these days? You must be very busy because I haven't heard from you in a long time.

I received the latest dope of our class of '50 and thought you might be interested in it.

Here goes-

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCullock (the latter is the former Ruth McCarson) own a dairy farm in eastern North Carolina.

The former Joyce Sloop married the coach of Fair Grove High School.

Those coaching football are Gene Wells, Bobby Workman, Bill Kindley, Johnny Wallace, Bob May, and Arthur Lambeth.

Father of a large family, William Saunders is a superintendent at Thomasville Chair Company.

Praised for her writing of stories for children, we are very proud of Jean Carroll Sullivan, who lives in New York City.

If you are in need of groceries at any time when you get home, go to Sechriest Super Market, which is under the management of Dale Sechriest.

Those from our class in the teaching field are Lena Mae Laws, who is teaching mathematics in Durham, North Carolina; Bill Hethcock, who is a French Professor at the University of North Carolina; and Sara Leek, an English teacher in Montgomery, Alabama.

Those from our class in the field of nursing are Betty Ann Surratt, Peggy Gray, Ruby Hauser, Peggy Coggins, and Anabel Lamonds.

Doris Maney is chief X-ray technician at the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

Several of our classmates are married. Charles Huffman and Pauline Nelson were wed soon after their graduation from high school. Frances "Pat" Younts is now happily married to an earlier graduate of T. H. S., Robert Cagle, who married the former Jane Tysinger, is the new owner of the West End Store.

Paul Ed Jones is playing professional baseball with the Yankees.

Julius Green, Jr., who is president of the Security Life and Trust Insurance Company, is very proud of his faithful secretary, the former Betty McSwain.

Do you remember Joann Hoyle? She is a French Opera singer.

I saw "Cotton" Coggins the other day and she is an assistant to a dentist in Charlotte.

John Hiatt and Betty Carol Myers are both associated with Hudson-Belk's Department Store. John is a buyer for the men's department and Betty Carol is in charge of the piece goods department.

Those from our class in the business field are Helen Payne, Murle Dean Sherrill, Peggy Smith, Louise Sullivan, Ann Wilder, Doris Harris, and Alice Bryant.

Although we went to a city school, we also have some boys from our class who are farmers. Homer Wilson and Bobby Radford are in charge of the Mills Home farm. Leon Lyndon, a tobacco farmer, and Robert Myers, a cotton growing farmer, own their farms which are not too far from Thomasville.

Next time you come home plan to have your picture taken at "Hill's Studio," which is under the management of Robert Hill.

Our friend Jackie McCulloch is an officer in the United States Navy.

The former Stinson's Esso Station is now owned and operated by J. B. Walser and Bobby Wilder.

CLASS PROPHECY OF 1950

Carl Hunt, superintendent of the Ragan Knitting Mills, has James Warren, Raymond Williams, and Donald Yates as his foremen.

Our old schoolmates who are making a living coaching basketball are "Sheriff" Ward, Betty Smith, Bobby Gene Loftin, Charles Lyndon, and Jean Gilliam. Coach of the Denton girls' varsity basketball team, Barbara Atwood has produced some very good teams thus far.

Ann Snyder and Lena Stout are operating the long-distance switchboards at the North State Telephone Co.

Donald "Sarky" Surratt, known as our 1950 T. H. S. glamour boy, has his own upholstering business in Washington, D. C.

Our old friend Bobby J. Loftin is the band director in Senior High School at Richmond, Virginia.

Do you ever see Dorothy Ludwick, Ann Davis, or Margaret Kinney, who with you represent our class in the field of modeling?

Betty Jones is the Society Editor of the Greensboro Daily News.

Manager of the Palace Theatre, Bill Kanoy, has remodeled the theatre since you were home.

The former Jane Brinkley, who married a wealthy University of North Carolina graduate, has nothing to do but give orders to her servants.

Fermon Ragan and Jim Ward are co-owners of the Men's Clothing Store in High Point.

Howard Lookabill is the Oldsmobile dealer in Thomasville.

Franklin Rutledge is working at Hill's Hosiery Mill.

Our old pal Betty Wilson is working in the office at the Davidson Laundry.

Eddie Branson, who married the former Jeanette Elliott, is owner of Branson's Esso Station.

Our friends, Mary Elgin, Elizabeth Gordy, Maxine Beck, Eva Mae Green, and Evelyn Branch are housewives.

Working as an interior decorator, Nancy Cranford likes her work very much.

Nancy Beck is the secretary for a well-known doctor in Durham, Don Holland.

The former Nancy Gray may be found in the office of Gray Concrete Pipe Company on Randolph Street most any time during the day.

Employed by the Thomasville City School System, Betty Jean Hartsell is the bookkeeper at Main Street School, our old Alma Mater.

Jackie Boswell and Carmalita Burleson are both employed in Chicago.

Dave Ballard is making his present home on Hinkle Street.

Employed away from T'ville caused J. D. Burton, L. E. Black, Jadie Lee Durham, and Stanton "Stinky" Davis to become strangers around this part of the country.

Joe Strider, a local lawyer, has as his private secretary, Charlotte Sullivan.

Oh my goodness! It's past the kids' bedtime. Hoping to see you Christmas, I am

> Your dear friend, SARAH JANE BLACK Prophet



We, the members of the graduating class of 1950, being of sound bodies and of slightly under par minds (due to the merciless assignments of the faculty during our four-year stay in high school) do, on this the 30th day of May 1950, declare this document to be our last will and testament. Although we shall take from this school more than we could possibly leave it, it is our privilege to leave behind a few remembrances. We, therefore, do will and bequeath all property, both real and personal, owned by us as follows:

ARTICLE I

To our Alma Mater, we leave our cherished thoughts and never-ending loyalty. May we live up to the standards for which you stand.

ARTICLE II

We leave to our efficient faculty and conscientious principal, our gratitude for the patience that they have shown us.

ARTICLE III

To our underclassmen, we will our school spirit and pride in all that our school stands for. To the rising senior class, we leave our swell times at the senior prom and all the wonderful parties.

The individuals of the graduating class of '50 do hereby leave the following things:

- I, John Hiatt, do will my shy good manners around girls to Al Boyles, since he certainly needs them.
- I, Dave Ballard, do hereby will my wit and ability always to have a good time to Joe Pittman.
- I, Betty Wilson, do hereby leave my swell times in high school to my sister, Jeanette. To Alma Joyce Pierce, I will my ambition to become a nurse.

Charles Huffman wills his ability to pull jokes on "Rough-House" Kindley to Ernest

Byerly in hopes that he can pull better and funnier ones. He also wills his size 12's to anyone who has the feet to go in them.

- I, Franklin "Flattop" Rutledge, do will my basketball skill to Darr Shealy. I also leave my nickname (Flattop) to Mr. Lawrence Page.
- I, Howard Lookabill, do hereby will my nickname "Likerstill" to anyone who merits the name.
- I, Bill Hethcock, do will my strong love for French to Jimmy Yokely and Jerry Black hoping that they will have as much fun in second year as I have had.

We, Alice Bryant and Louise Sullivan, do hereby will our ability to hold the important positions as Mr. and Mrs. Lowdermilk's "handymen" to anyone who thinks he has energy enough to hold it down.

- I, Ruth McCarson, do will and bequeath to Virginia Williams the task of being the "Saturday night eyebrow plucker" at the Huffman Building.
- I, Evelyn Branch, do will and bequeath to my brother, Edgar, my ability to cook. Also to Vannie Downey, I will my favorite pastime, writing letters to that certain soldier.

Mary Elgin wills the honor of keeping up the family correspondence to Bertha Poole and Moley Maultsby.

- I, Mr. Bobby "Sheriff" Ward, will to Miss Ava Alliene Hinkle all my merry times at the Belvedere Plantation Club. I also give to Mr. Earnest Byerly all my Kasco dog food, because I know he will be dogging on the football field next year, as usual.
- I, Pauline Nelson, do will and bequeath to Edna Elgin my position on the basketball team, provided she works hard for it; and to Leonard Kornegay, I will the first chair in the trombone section.

Charles Lyndon wills his title as most bashful boy in the senior class to Guy Melton.

- I, Jimmy Ward, do hereby leave my superlight A-Model to Betty Ann Tysinger and my brother, Tommy. In years to come, I hope you get as much fun out of pushing it as I have.
- I, Maxine Beck, do hereby will to Ann Murphy my love for the name Paul, in hopes that she likes the name as much as I do.

Bobby Wilson leaves his senior privileges and seat in Mr. Page's D. O. class to any underclassmen capable of passing through Miss Johnson's English class.

- I, Raymond (Willie) Williams, do hereby will my homeroom seat to anyone who likes to sit in the confound thing. I leave my good times and pencil sharpener in Miss Dixon's room to Johnny Prevo and Donald Hill.
- I, Arthur (Ott) Lambeth, do hereby will my position on the football team to Dale McDonald, hoping that he will be able to play the position of tackle as well as I. I leave my blond and curly hair to Charles Dickens.
- I, Ferman Ragan, do give my by-word "pothead" to Tommy Ward, and my seat with my name on it to Martha Kanoy.
- I, Doris Maney, do leave to my "big sister," Dorothy Maney, my ability to get to school on time, and be late only to sixth period class. To Carol Jean Gordy, I leave my place as "chief cook" in the Mills Home Infirmary kitchen.
- I, L. E. (Eli) Black, do leave to David Long my shy technique with the women.
- I, Nancy Cranford, will my title as best-dressed to Carol McMahon, who "never has a thing to wear". To Al Boyles, I bequeath my volume of Emily Post. I also will my profile to Betty "no-nose" Tysinger.
- I, Peggy Gray, do bequeath to my sister, Betty, my bed, closest place at the table, and top

drawer. If you want none of these you may have my place on the basketball team (keeping the bench warm at least two-thirds of the game). I leave to Horace Broome the privilege of winning the imitation contest on Halloween, all by himself.

- I, Jane Tysinger, do will and bequeath my ability to be a true-love to Carol McMahon.
- I, Robert Cagle, do hereby will my seat in D. O. class to anyone who is lucky enough to get it.
- I, Betty Smith, do hereby will my position on the basketball team to any girl who thinks that she will be able to warm the bench as well as I.
- I, Dot Ludwick, do hereby will my "seventeen" children (at Miles Durhame Nursery) to Edna Davis. Don't be too hard on them, Edna.

Leon Lyndon wills his good times in T. H. S. to his sister, Luna Gray Lyndon. He also wills his hunting ability to Mr. G. M. Eargle and Mr. John Lowdermilk.

I, Anabel Lamonds, do leave to my little sister, Irene, the honor of receiving all of the mail from home in *her* name.

Joyce Sloop leaves her position on the basketball team to Hazel Overcash.

I, Bobby Workman, will my end position on the football team to Buddy Cranford and my ability to flirt with the girls to Bill Connell.

Lena Stout and Betty Carol Myers leave their love of D. O. to next year's D. O. girls.

I, Charlotte Sullivan, do hereby will my nickname "Blondie" to Jean McCarn.

Bobby "Laud" Loftin wills his ability to dress quickly for football practice to Edward Huffman. He leaves his pass catching ability to Paul Breedlove.

- I, Margaret Kinney, do hereby will my position as a cheerleader to Alma Joyce Pierce and my seat in Miss Welch's geometry class to any student with plenty of patience and time.
- I, Robert Myers, do hereby will my twin nicknames "Rabbit" and "Hare" to anyone who can stand them.

Dale Sechriest leaves his ability to make excellent on English to Donald, Paul, Larry, and Roy.

I, Sara Leek, do hereby will mah suthun drawl to the po' ole soul who can tak all all kiddin' and still be able to smile. To all underclassmen, I leave Thomasville High School, complete with a wonderful faculty, junior-senior proms, football games, and Twirp seasons, hoping they will have as much fun as I've had.

Helen Payne bequeaths to Edna Elgin her ability to be where work ain't. She also wills her position as bookkeeper for the basketball team to Bertha Poole.

Stanton Davis leaves his nickname "Stinky" to all the faculty that calls him by this name.

I, Mildred Coggins, do hereby will my nickname "Cotton" to Peggy Hartsell in hopes that she will live up to it.

Barbara Atwood leaves her ability to get to school at least one-half minute before the tardy bell to anyone who gets up as late as she does.

- I, Elizabeth Ann Gordy, do will and bequeath to Carol Jean Gordy my ability to cook. Remember Sis, when the recipe calls for a *level* teaspoon of salt; it doesn't mean *eleven*.
- I, Carmelita Burleson, do will and bequeath to Bertha Poole the privilege of entertaining my little brother once a month. Don't forget to stay away from that dangerous road at the Mitchell.

- I, Betty McSwain, do will to "Rosie" Jarrett my wonderful times in high school. I bequeath to Guy Melton my five feet and two inches. To "Cody", I regretfully return his many possessions that I have borrowed. Also, to Betty Warner, I will my ability to blush at Paul Ed's jokes.
- I, Sara Black, do hereby will my nickname, "Tuffy" to anyone who thinks they can live up to the name.

Jackie Boswell wills her love for Bethesda, Maryland and white caps to Blanche Reddick.

- I, Betty Jean Hartsell, leave my good times working in Mr. Horton's office to Anne Murphy.
- I, Peggy Coggins, do hereby will my ability to hold a man to Martha Jane Kanoy; and to Betty Ann Wright, I leave my position on the cheering squad.
- I, Lena Stout, do hereby will my love of Miss Neece's second year French class to Catherine Prince.
- I, Betty Jones, do hereby bequeath to Doris Ann Jones my ability to get near the front of the lunch line. To Diana Jones, I leave my love of dramatics, hoping that she will enjoy it as much as I have.
- I, "Tootie" Beck, do hereby will my sun lamp to Nell Newby in hopes that she will know how to use it.
- I, Mack McCullock, do will and bequeath to Ray Mooney my good humor.
- I, Robert Hill, leave to my brother, Graham, my charming personality and my ability to win Mrs. Oliver's affections. To Miss Dixon, I leave my sense of humor.

Homer Wilson leaves Dewey Phelps his seat in Miss Johnson's English class.

I, Doris Ann Harris, leave my third period in Mr. Horton's office to anyone who has good health, and strong feet, so they may be able to run from the office to Mrs. Lowdermilk's room every five minutes of the period.

Nancy Beck wills to Barbara Stevens her love for the name of Joe. She also wills to Carolyn Kennedy her job as secretary to the Bible Club.

- I, Bobby May, leave my ability to make Ex's on my report card to William Palmer. I leave my fullback position to anyone who has more nerve than sense.
- I, Lena Laws, will my ability to type to Carol McMahon.
- I, Merle Dean Sherrill, hereby will my nickname, "Blondie", to Daney Melton and my parttime job in Rose's 5 & 10c Store to Janet Smith. Also, being of sound (?) mind, I leave my ability to make excellent on shorthand to Joyce Flowers.
- I, Ann Davis, will my steady nerve to all of next year's bookkeeping students.
- I, Bill Kindley, do hereby will my size and nickname "Rough-house" to Bobby Cody, who deserves that name more than I do. I will my ability to sing? in the dressing room to Norman Crews and Donnie Cranford.
- I, Jeanette Elliott, do will my seat on the basketball bench to Peggy Hartsell.

Eddie Branson wills his position as president of the Student Council to whoever is man enough to take it.

- I, Eugene Wells, do hereby will to Ed Huffman (214½) my position as guard on the football team.
- I, Paul Ed Jones, leave my ability to flirt with the girls to Doyt Johnson. I leave my corny jokes to Bob Johnson.

I, Nancy Gray, do bestow my handwriting upon Miss Bain Johnson and all other admirers of it. (joke) I also will my ability to arrive at school one minute before the tardy bell rings to my little sister, Ruth, who is going to need something to get her to school on time when I am not here. I leave a box of vitamin tablets, a box of aspirin tablets, a pair of track shoes, an ever-enduring pencil, and a padded cell to all aspiring journalists, knowing from experience that they will need them.

Bobby Wilder wills his English book and Mr. Paige's jokes to Red Wilson.

- I, Jane Brinkley, do hereby will my position as chief cheerleader to Charlesanna Skeen.
- I, Julius Green, do leave to Guy Melton my beat-up nose in hopes that he takes better care of it during football season than I did.
- I, Jean Gilliam, do leave my pet peeve, Judy Hix, to Ann Murphy and Catherine Prince; and my ability to do trigonometry to Miss Laura Neece, in hopes that she will someday be able to count to twenty without taking off her shoes.

Julius Green, Jr.

Testator



BABIES THEN . . .



- Peggy Coggins
 Nancy Gray
 Louise Sullivan
 Joann Hoyle
- Betty Carol Myers
 Jean Gilliam
- Ann Davis
- 8. Helen Payne
- 9. Barbara Átwood
- 10. Alice Bryant
- 11. John Hiatt 12. Jeanette Elliott
- 13. Jean Carroll Sullivan
- 14. Nancy Cranford15. Betty Jones16. Lena Mae Laws

- 17. Julius Green
- 18. Leon Lyndon 19. Elizabeth Gordy
- 20. Arthur Lee Lambeth21. Mildred Coggins
- 22. Doris Maney
- 23. Fermon Ragan 24. Bill Kindley 25. Wanda Beck
- 26. Jim Ward
- 27. Doris Ann Harris
- 28. Margaret Kinney
- 29. Betty McSwain 30. Dorothy Ludwick 31. Pat Younts
- 32. Merle Dean Sherrill
- 33. Charles Lyndon



OFFICERS

Donald Moore President
Guy Melton Vice-President
Bertha Poole Secretary
Mildred Wilson Treasurer

ADVISERS

Miss Vera Dixon



Miss Mildred Eaton





Mrs. John W. Lowdermilk

Tommy Beard Jerry Black Raymond Ball Al Boyles, Jr.

Horace Broome
Betty Brewer
Ernest Byerly
Betty Callaway

Mary Cauble

Dorothy Campbell

Douglas Childress

Bill Coggins

Billy Connell
Robert Curtis
Ray Davis
Kenneth Dickens

Robert Downey
Vannie Downey
Edna Elgin
Joyce Flowers

Jack Fine
James Garrison
Josie Grimes
Charles Hampton





Emma Hanner
Peggy Harrison
Douglas Hartsell
Joyce Hill

Bettie Hilliard Judy Hix Jackie Holmes Edward Huffman

Joan Ivey
Sam Jarrell
Bobby Johnson
Doyt Johnson

Martha Kanoy
Carolyn Kennedy
Blair Little
Don Loftin

Gene McDaniel
Richard McLendon
Carol McMahon
Daney Melton

Guy Melton
Donald Moore
Anne Murphy
Bobby Myers

Alton Oates

Nancy Perdue

Joyce Picklesimer

Dewey Phelps

Bertha Poole Raymond Powell Catherine Prince Bill Rapp

Edward Richardson Sandra Rothrock W. K. Saunders, Jr. Edith Sebastian

Fat Shuford Charlesanna Skeen Raynall Sluder Tex Sluder

Janet Smith
Billy Tolen
Betty Tysinger
Donald Wall

Elizabeth Walker Lucy Nell Walters Tommy Ward David Wardlaw





Elmer Wilkie Bobby Wilson Mildred Wilson Hubert Wolfe

Evelyn Wood

Betty Ann Wright

Betty Yates

Jimmy Yokely



SOPHOMORE CLASS

Ronald Barker Joyce Bean James Beck Larry Beck

Judy Black
Joe Branson
Catherine Bray
Lillian Britt

Paul Breedlove

Jean Cassidy

Nellie Caudle

Mildred Coggins

Buddy Cranford
Donald Cranford
Doris Cranford
Gary Cranford

Joyce Creed Norman Crews Paul Dameron Eva Lee Darr

Jeanette Davis
Barbara Day
Herman Dunning
Gene Earnhardt

Reece Elliott
Zeb Hanner
C. R. Fisher
Faye Floyd



SOPHOMORE CLASS



Betty Harrison
Franklin Hartman
Donald Hill
Alliene Hinkle

Freddie Howard
Edith Hunt
Ellis Jackson
Betty Rose Jarrett

Kitty Jarrett

Doris Ann Jones

Irene Lammonds

Betty Legans

Patsy Little
Dillon Loftin
Betty Lyndon
Jack Lyndon

Dorothy Maney Joe Marlowe Bobby Miller Sylvia Morton

Billy Murphy Doyle Myers Bobby Oakley Jimmy Owen

William Palmer
Barbara Peters
Alma Joyce Pierce
Lannie Pierce

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Joe Pittman

Dorothy Pleasant

Johnny Prevo

Gertrude Price

Louanna Prince
Audene Rodgers
Mozelle Russell
Mildred Scroggs

Darr Shealy, Jr.

Donald Shoemaker

Jean Sink

Robert Sink

Donald Smith

Darwin Sowers

Barbara Stevens

Vivian Stewart

Betty Tobin

Bill Tudor

Betty Ann Tysinger

Betty Warner

Hansel Welborn

Dewey Welborne
Barbara Williard

Stanley Wright

Madge Wilson Charles Yokeley



FRESHMAN CLASS



paul aderhold james allen ann allmond joann beck sylvia beck

lula mae berrier billy blair shirley ann boggs edith bowman james bowman

1. j. boyd nell boyles billy bruton shirley burrus joyce childress

linda clodfelter minnie lou cody joe connell edgar cranford faye crotts

barbara culp gerald davis charles dickens doyle duke dora jane edwards

rufus embry
betty franks
doris gallimore
jackie garner
maxine goad

ruth gray
monnie hamm
hollis hampton
jimmy hampton
grant harris

tommy harris buddy harrison peggy hartsell hazel hegler joyce henry

FRESHMAN CLASS

melvin hilton ann holladay betty howard sandra jarrett james johnson

diana jones
hoxie jones
jim kinney
peggy kinney
betty lomax

frances lomax
david long
luna gray lyndon
charlotte mcdowell
larry mcswain

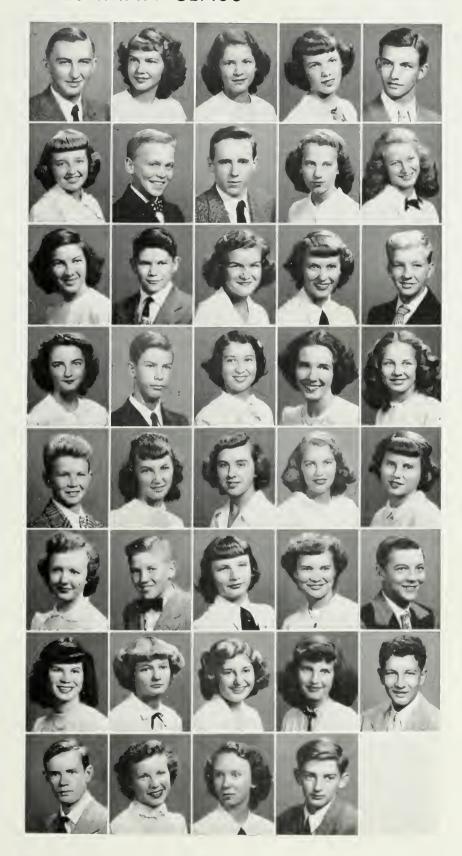
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fred perdue
helen pittman
rebecca pollock
edna pritchett
glenda rumple

pauline sebastain
vann sherrill
joann simpson
carolyn smith
orville spainhour

carol stewart
dorothy thrift
rosella voyles
frances ward
tommy ward

charles whichard loretta whitaker jeanette wilson dallas wolf





- "High Spots."
 Stick em up.
 The big un got away.
 "Ciga-retts and Whusky."
 No comment.
 Cody's at it again.
 Wheet-whew.

- 8. Ya cold Eddie?9. Watch the chain boys.10. Before the new look.11. Watch the boidie.
- 12. Those Ipana smiles.13. Full House.14. Good shot.

- 15. Age of innocence.16. Cute ain't he.17. "Rosie."

- 17. Rose.
 18. In the good ole summer time.
 19. You don't know do you?
 20. Where's your fur collar Laud?
 21. Seems like ole times.

- 22. Al, before the barber chair.23. Two hits and a miss.24. Say ah.25. Look at the legs on that rabbit.26. Laziness is bliss.27. "Sherf."



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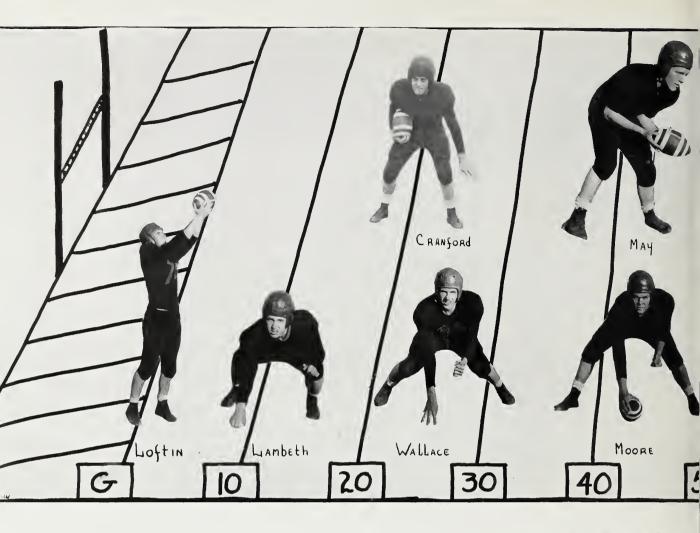
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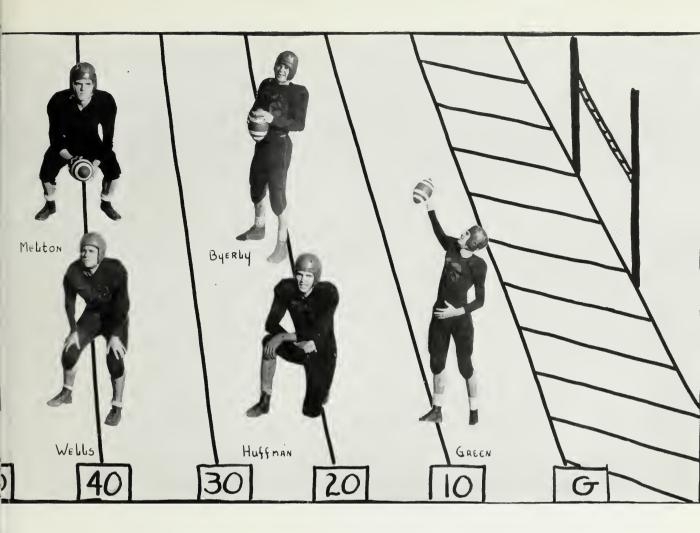
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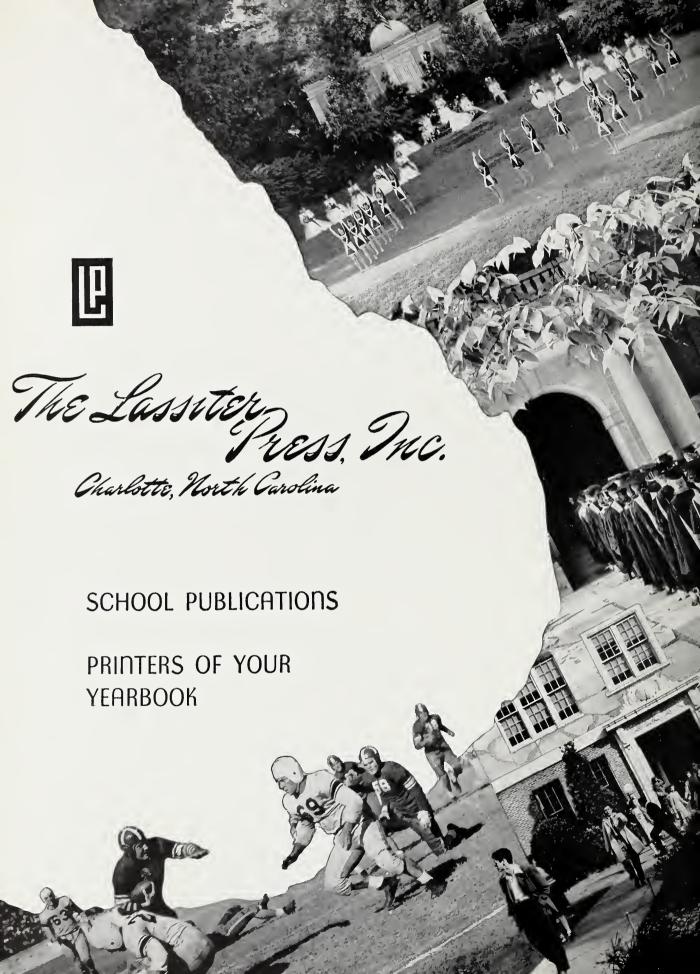
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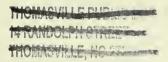








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